The Applicable Statute and Regulations: Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the statute are references to the provisions effective January 1, 1995, the effective date of the amendments to the Tariff Act of 1930 (the Act) by the Uruguay Rounds Agreements Act. In addition, unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Department's regulations are to the regulations as codified at 19 CFR Part 351 (April 1998).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

In response to a request by Canberra Industries, Inc., (Canberra) that the Department conduct a changed circumstances administrative review to determine whether to revoke in part the order with regard to certain cobalt-60free cut-to-length carbon steel plate, on December 4, 1998, the petitioners informed the Department in writing that they did not object to the changed circumstances review and had no interest in the importation or sale of cobalt-60-free cut-to-length carbon steel plate produced in Canada as described in the "Scope of Review" section below. The Department has previously revoked from the order a similar cobalt-60-free cut-to-length carbon steel plate product, also per Canberra's request. See, Certain Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate From Canada: Final Results of Changed Circumstances Antidumping Duty Administrative Review, and Revocation in Part of Antidumping Duty Order 61 FR 7471 (Feb. 28, 1996).

We preliminarily determined that petitioners' affirmative statement of no interest constitutes good cause for conducting a changed circumstances review and for partially revoking the order. Consequently, on January 6, 1999, the Department published a notice of initiation, preliminary results of review. and intent to revoke order in part (64 FR 846). This determination did not affect the order with regard to other cut-tolength carbon steel plate. We gave interested parties an opportunity to comment on the preliminary results of this changed circumstances review. We received no comments.

Scope of Review

The merchandise covered by this changed circumstance review includes cut-to-length carbon steel plate meeting the following criteria: (1) 100% dry steel

plates, virgin steel, no scrap content (free of cobalt-60 and other radioactive nuclides); (2) .300 inches maximum thickness, plus 0.0, minus .030 inches; (3) 48.00 inches wide, minimum; (4) 20 foot lengths; (5) flatness, plus/minus 0.5 inches over 10 feet; (6) AISI 1006; (7) tension leveled; (8) pickled and oiled; and (9) carbon content, .03 to .08 (max). This merchandise is currently classified under subheading HTS 7208.52.0000. HTS numbers are provided for convenience and customs purposes. The written description of the scope of this review remains dispositive.

This changed circumstances administrative review covers all manufacturers/exporters of cobalt-60-free cut-to-length carbon steel plate from Canada.

Final Results of Review; Partial Revocation of Antidumping Duty Order

The petitioners' affirmative statement of no interest in this case constitutes changed circumstances sufficient to warrant partial revocation of this order. See 782(h) of the Act; 19 CFR 351.222(g)(1)(i). Therefore, the Department is partially revoking this order on certain cobalt-60-free cut-to-length carbon steel plate from Canada, described above, in accordance with section 751(b)(1) of the Act.

The Department will, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.222(g)(4), instruct the U.S. Customs Service to proceed with liquidation, without regard to antidumping duties, of all unliquidated entries of cobalt-60-free cut-to-length carbon steel plate from Canada with the specifications described above not subject to final results of an administrative review, and to refund with interest any estimated antidumping duties collected with respect to such entries.

This changed circumstances administrative review, partial revocation of the antidumping duty order, and notice are in accordance with sections 751(b)(1) and 782(h) of the Act and sections 351.216, 351.221(c)(3), and 351.222(g) of the Department's regulations.

Dated: February 3, 1999.

Robert S. LaRussa,

Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

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Notice of Extension of Time Limit for Antidumping Duty Administrative Review of Sulfanilic Acid From the People's Republic of China

AGENCY: Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

EFFECTIVE DATE: February 12, 1999.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce (the Department) is extending the time limit for the preliminary results of the antidumping duty administrative review of the antidumping order on sulfanilic acid from the People's Republic of China, covering the period August 1, 1997 through July 31, 1998.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Tariff Act, as amended (the Act), the Department may extend the deadline for completion of an administrative review if it determines that it is not practicable to complete the review within the statutory time limit of 365 days after the last day of the anniversary month for the relevant order. In the instant case, the Department has determined that it is not practicable to complete the review within the statutory time limit. See Memorandum from Joseph A. Spetrini to Robert S. LaRussa (February 3, 1999). Therefore, in accordance with section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act, the Department is extending the time limit for the preliminary results until July 2, 1999.

Dated: February 3, 1999.

Joseph A. Spetrini,

Deputy Assistant Secretary, Enforcement Group III.

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